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Conſtantinople, September 10, O. S.

THE Beginning of laſt Month, Mr. Stanyan, His Britannick Majeſty's Ambaſſadour to the Port, left the Grand Vizier's Camp at Sophia, and came to this City. The Dutch Ambaſſadour is arrived from Paſſarowitz at Adrianople, and is expected here in Two or Three Days. The Grand Signior has been ſome Time undetermined whether he ſhould winter at Adrianople, or return to this City; but is now reſolved to come hither, and 'tis ſaid will ſet out in about eight or 10 Days. Prince Ragotzki is quartered at a Village on the Black Sea about three Leagues off this Town, and has an Allowance of about 10 l. a Day for him and his Retinue, which conſiſts of near 200 Perſons, among whom are ſeveral Hungarian Officers. The Port treats him hitherto pretty well; but 'tis reported he is diſſatisfied, and has intimated to the Vizier, that he does not deſign to ſtay long in this Country. The Waywod of Walachia of the Family of Cordato, who was taken Priſoner by the Germans during the late War, will be re-inſtated in that Principality, to the great Diſappointment of his Brother, who was made Waywod during the other's Confinement, and was in Hopes of being continued in it.

Copenhagen, Nov. 26. The laſt Advices from Norway tell us, that ſome Parties of Swedes had penetrated by different Ways into Norway, and advanced towards Chriſtianſtad. 'Tis alſo adviſed from ſeveral Places, that the King of Sweden has ordered all his Forces to march towards Norway; having for this Enterprize drawn off the Troops which lay about Stockholm, to guard that Part of his Country againſt the Muſcovites. Hereupon all poſſible Diligence is uſed for imbarking and ſending to Norway ſix Battallions more from hence. Mr. Jefferies ſets out from hence to Morrow for Hambourg, whence he will proceed with all Expedition to Petersbourg.

Paris, Dec. 3. The Letters from Italy arrived laſt Night, but have brought no particular News from thoſe Parts; only they write from Genoa the 22d of laſt Month, that the Winds had continued fair for the Convoy, and that they reckoned it arrived by that Time at Melazzo.

Hague, Dec. 2. The ſeveral Inſtruments relating to the new Convention for the Execution of the Barrier-Treaty, will be ready for Signing on the 6th Inſtant; againſt which Time the States General will nominate and authorize ſome of their Body to ſign them, jointly with the Marqueſs de Prié and the Earl of Cadogan. The States of the Province of Holland aſſembled to Day. The States General being informed, that Two Swediſh Privateers are cruiſing on our Coaſt, and that Two of our Merchant-Men have lately been taken by them; have ordered the Chamber of Admiralty of Amſterdam, to ſend out Two Frigates to cruiſe and ſieze all Swediſh Privateers and Ships that they ſhall meet with. 'Tis adviſed from Francfort, that the Troops of the Circles which had advanced into the Landgrave of Heſſe Caſſel's Territories, on Occaſion of the Diſpute about Rhinfels, have received Orders to return home.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Cavendiſh of the Dover, at Gibraltar, Oct. 24.

A Baſhaw with three Engliſh Captive Maſters has been ſent to Tetuan, with full Powers to treat of Peace. This has been ſignified to me by Letters from that Baſhaw, which after peruſal I have ſent to Sir George Byng: By thoſe Letters, and by examining the Perſon who brought them, I have great Reaſon to believe the Moors are very ſincere. I have written to the ſaid Baſhaw to acquaint him, that I would forward his Letters to the Admiral, but as I have no Directions to treat with him, having no other Orders than to cruiſe on the Ships of the Moors with the Squadron under my Command, I have given him Aſſurance that the Admiral will bring this Affair to a Concluſion as ſoon as poſ-

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